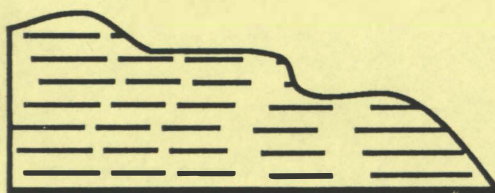
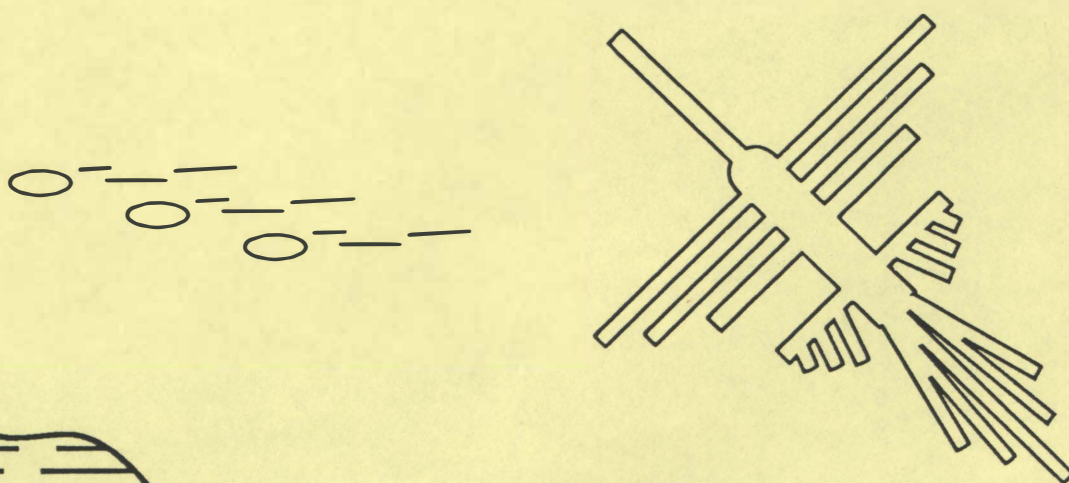
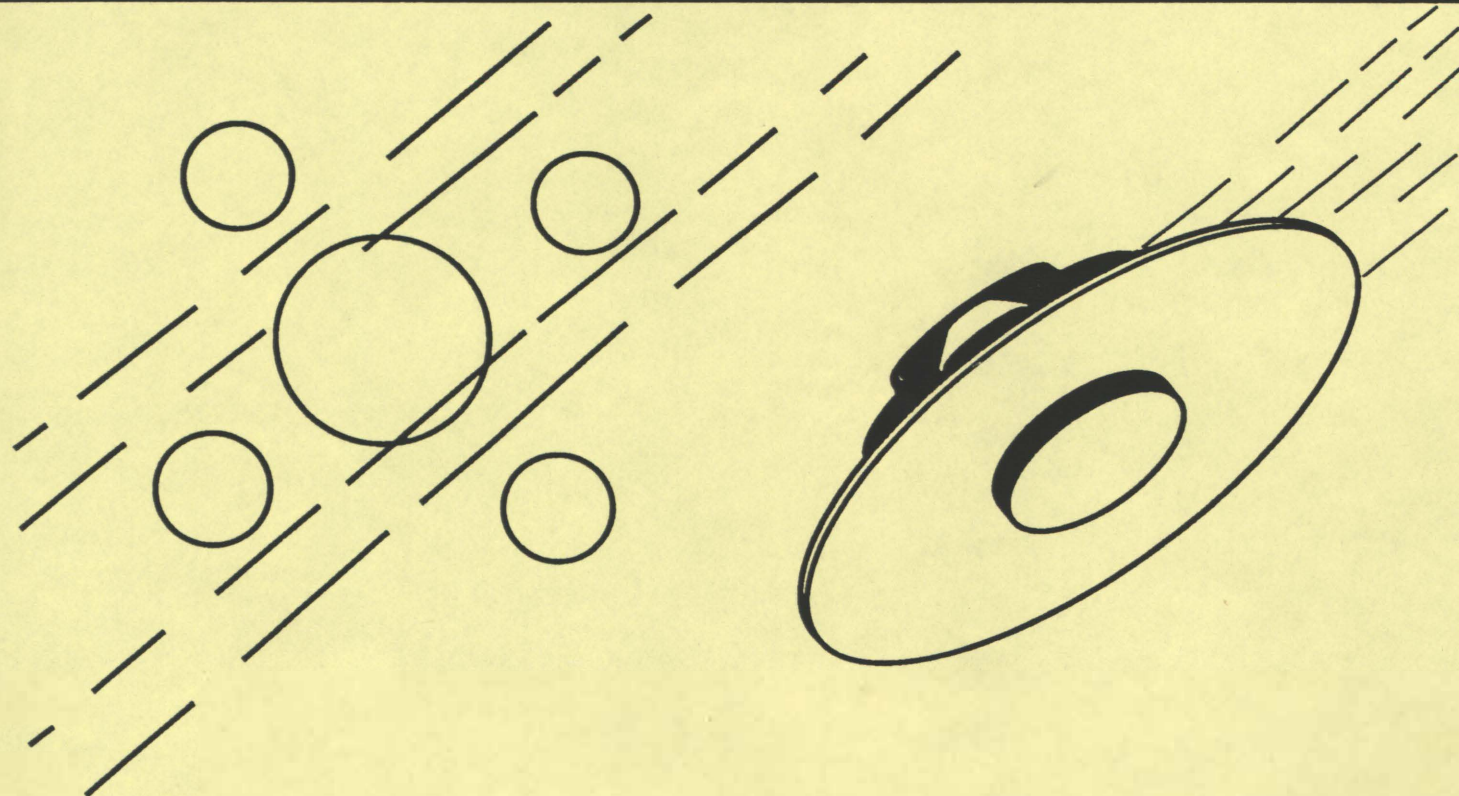

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THE PRA INTERVIEW WITH DR. JOHN E. MACK (Exclusive)

At the personal invitation of Dr. John E. Mack, your editor attended a meeting at Claridges Hotel, London on August Bank Holiday Monday 28th August between Dr Mack and the Directors of the magazine "Flying Saucer Review".

(Dr Mack was due to return to the USA the following day, as he was on the final leg of a tour which had included Africa, Italy and Switzerland).

Dr John E. Mack is Professor of Psychiatry, Harvard Medical School at the Cambridge Hospital and Founding Director of the Center for Psychology and Social Change. He is a Pulitzer Prize winner and will be best known in UFO circles for his recent book "Abduction: Human Encounters With Aliens".

It was this book and his television appearances that landed him in "hot water" with the authorities at Harvard University. This matter which has now been concluded was referred to during the discussion with your editor. An abbreviated transcription is given below.

Dr John E. Mack:-

I think I should make it clear how I came into this. I do not consider myself a 'ufologist', I don't consider myself an expert in this field. I started doing this abduction work on UFO's and I'm still not up to what is going on.

My own involvement with this is quite recent, I became interested in the abduction phenomenon as a clinician, because it seemed to me that if we were dealing with some sort of human experience. As far as I could tell after working with a number of these cases, all the indications were that there was some inexplicable relationship with another intelligence.

In the course of my work it is interesting that I would see the type of delusions that people have and they do not have alien or UFO delusions, it is just not the type of thing that people get delusions about.

I've been happy to discover that in many British groups interests are much broader than American groups in terms of religious and spiritual dimensions. I think the technology and what they are (UFO's), this information is very important, but what is it all about?

I managed to antagonise just about everybody in the United States! UFO groups hoped that I would give this subject scientific respectability by demonstrating once and for all that the evidence and facts showed that these people were physically removed in each and every occasion, which is not true, nor is it the main point.

Of course I antagonise all my medical colleagues because I can't use their controlled study methodology to prove anything either, so I managed to get the worst of both worlds.

I think it is a mistake for Budd Hopkins and David Jacobs to claim that in each and every instance there is what Budd calls a "out of the house experience", but I don't think the evidence supports that.

Sometime the people are actually observed to be missing and sometimes the family observe that they (the 'abductee') is in a trance and still in their bed. But on the other hand I have cases where everyone is searching around, where the person has disappeared for several hours.

I have a case, not in my book, where a woman, she and her room-mate were abducted at the same time. The room-mate was abducted first and she was lying in bed and suddenly the room-mate returned. She came down through the ceiling and 'plonk' onto the bed, then she was abducted....you get every possible combination in this business.

People often ask me "why are you so interested, why are you going out on a limb?" My answer to this is "if in fact we are being visited by some other species, even if this is only a possibility, why are you not interested in this yourself?" The burden of the question should be on the asker, not on me!

The only reason that anyone pays any attention to me, when you get right down to it, is the fact that I have quite impeccable credentials as a psychiatric clinician, I can talk to a person in depth and say "I believe it's this and not this" and that's all that I've got really. The Universe seems to select the least likely people to do it's work and if they had to find someone the least unlikely, then if there is a God and that God was looking for an unlikely person to select to do this work, they couldn't have found a better person than me.

I come from a very rationalistic, secular German/Jewish background which is connected with basic science, completely in hard edged traditions.

I am always making a distinction between proof and evidence, I think we will never have what will ever satisfy a materialistic orientated scientists ideal, it's never going to work like that. It will not shape itself to that mentality, I think it's inviting us out of that way of thinking, but there is evidence and the evidence that something is going on is overwhelming.

We (the UFO study community) tend to get fragmented and to argue amongst ourselves. I'm interested in how group divisions can be overcome to enable us to become more effective, because I think that this field has a lot to say about human identity, transformation of consciousness, the future of the human species, the relationship of ourselves as spiritual beings in the universe.

I am also interested in the phenomenon of what might be called "differential perception". Often you hear that when there were people in group, some would see a UFO very clearly and others in the group would not see it, others would see colours and some would not. I feel that this is something that has to be better documented. Not everybody in this field perceives the same, as our notions of reality depend on the fact that everybody has to have the same experience for it to be real, whereas this suggests that there are realities that are differentially perceived and I think that is very important to document. There is a mentality, I call it "Saganism", the attitude of mind that says if you can't prove this in the material world, then you can dismiss the entire matter.

There has been a certain delight that the media have taken over watching the way that the UFO community have splintered over that film (Roswell Autopsy). That seems to be such a general phenomena, the way that we end up bickering and fighting among ourselves, so I'm very interested in addressing that.

In John Whitmore's book (an American 'channeller'), there's a statement in there from "the nine" where they say very clearly "the Earth is not yours to destroy, we will not permit you to destroy the Earth, it does not belong to one species".

You have heard about the flap that I got into at Harvard, it was about the notion that there isn't one reality. The Senior Dean who summoned me, said that "you wouldn't have got into trouble if you had not raised the question in your book that this required an expansion of our notions of reality."

That was my heresy, if I had simply said that here are these cases that I can't explain and one day a fellow psychiatrist will find a new diagnosis, that would have been fine, but it's when I said that we need to change our notions of reality to understand this, he said that if I hadn't have done that, there wouldn't have been an investigation.

I don't know what started the investigation, the closest I can come to it was a remark made by the university lawyer on the committee representing the Presidents Office, who said to my lawyer "what do you think it's like for the Dean of the Harvard Medical School to see one of his professors going on Oprah Winfrey (TV chat show) and saying that little green men are abducting men, women and children?" I didn't say that, but the thing was that I was high profile on the media at the time the book came out.

One of the times I met with him (the Dean) he said "if your purpose was to get across a particular point of view about this phenomenon, you have succeeded" and he didn't say that happily. In other words, the point of view being that this involved some other intelligence.

There was never any charge, such as a client objecting to anything that I ever did, or anything that I had aired scientifically, it was only that I was high profile and a lot of calls were coming in (to Harvard University), objecting to my stance in the matter.

The matter is now closed, I had a meeting with the Dean's, and basically they said that they respected my right to explore what they called "phenomena of hedarox ideology" and that I should adhere to the high standards of the Harvard Medical School, they didn't say I hadn't, but slightly by implication that I perhaps I could be better and that was that!



OVNI Editor Omar Fowler, sharing a joke with Dr John E. Mack.

THE RAY SANTILLI ALIEN AUTOPSY FILM

Controversy is still raging over the recent showing on TV of the alien autopsy film claiming to show one of the bodies retrieved from the "Roswell Crash". The burning question remains, is it authentic?

The body may well be that of an alien, but although such peculiarities as six fingers are a known medical fact in human beings, this does not comply with the general description given by witnesses who claim to have been involved with the Roswell recovery. In fact information gained by the late Leonard Stringfield, a foremost researcher in the retrieval field, shows that aliens may well have a tendency to four fingers not six! (see Leonard Stringfield's publication below.)

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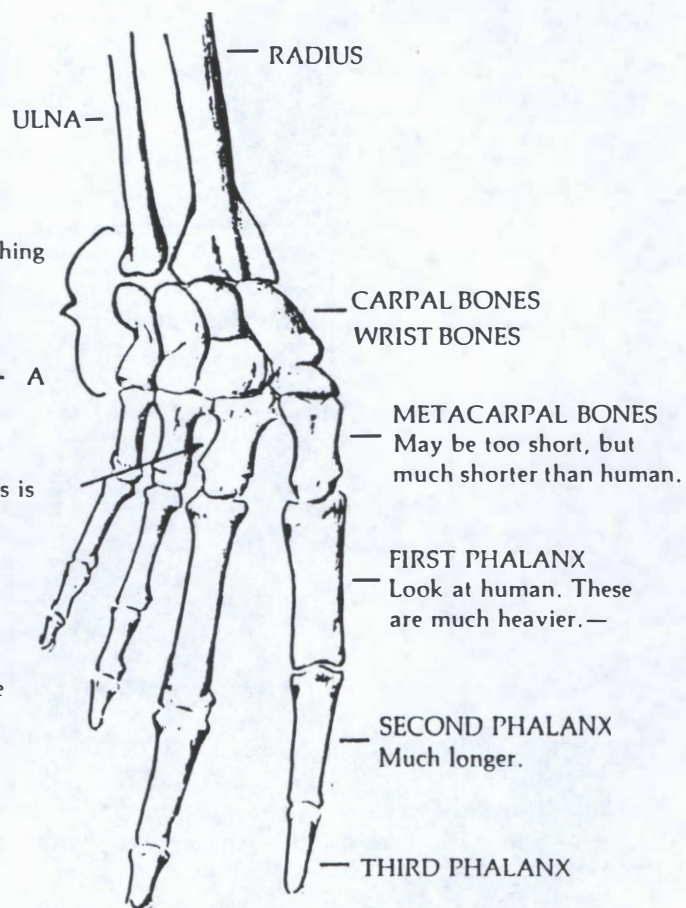
This bone structure is based on the dimensions of an enlarged drawing in report #2 but with fingers spread to compare with drawing of human bones. (Also I reversed it to the right hand for same reference as human drawing).

I'm guessing here, but would need to be something like this to bend like we discussed [Sec. A-].



On human this is straight.

To flesh this out, take overlay and place it over the area you want to look at.



—Reed 9/6/80

Upper left (1) is a sketch of the hand I drew for the critical view of a former C.I.A. employee in 1978, who claimed to have seen deceased aliens during a recovery in New Mexico, 1962. He advised only that I remove a small protruding nub which I depicted indicating a vestigial thumb.

Two renditions by artist Al Reed showing hand structure; hoping for further guidelines by my medical source who allegedly performed an autopsy on an alien body in early 1950's. Note to the left (2), his textured conception of the hand based on my sketch, and to the right (3), its hypothetical bone structure.

UFO CRASHES

A list from the files of researcher Leonard Stringfield showing the claimed number of UFO crashes during the years 1947-1979. Could the alien autopsy have involved a crashed UFO craft other than the Roswell incident? However, we understand that the film has been confirmed as being of 1947 manufacture.

CHRONOLOGY OF CASES REPORTED IN THE UFO CRASH/RETRIEVAL SYNDROME, STATUS REPORT II

World War II: England. Crashed craft. Source: military officer. (Case A-1, Comment)

1947: Near Roswell, New Mexico. Fragments of apparent crashed craft observed by Air Force officer. (Case A-10)

1948: Crashed craft plus body, reported by newspaper columnist. (Item B-14)

1948 or 1950: Mexico, near Del Rio, Texas. Air Force officer observed crashed craft and one body. (Item B-7)

1950: California. Air crewman observed craft in Navy hangar. (Item B-5)

1952: New Mexico. Former Air Force radar specialist learned of crashed craft and bodies. (Case A-9)

1952: Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio. Military officer, now retired, saw one body. Saw movie film of craft (see Case A-9), UFO files at NORAD, Colorado Springs, Colorado (see also Item B-3). (Case A-4)

1953: Johannesburg, S. Africa, retrieval. (Case A-6)

1953: Arizona. Military officer saw three bodies, one female, at Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio, learned of crashed craft in Arizona. (Case A-1)

1953: Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio. Technician reported presence of 13 bodies, saw written report confirming it. Learned two craft were at Langley AFB, Virginia. (Item B-6)

1953: Desert area. Movie film of crashed craft and three bodies seen by former Air Force officer (see Case A-4), a former Air Force radar specialist, a former Army radar specialist, and (about 1956) by a former Air Force officer. (Case A-9)

1957: Southwest United States. Former Air Force Sergeant learned from General about crashed craft and four bodies, craft shipped by rail to Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio. (Case A-5)

1962: New Mexico. Crashed craft, two bodies, head band "communicator" (see Case A-7, Comment). Source: Bob Barry, allegedly from CIA contact. (Case A-6)

1964: Ft. Riley, Kansas. Crashed craft reported by enlisted man on guard duty, confirmed by separate source. (Case A-8)

1965: Near Kecksburg, Pennsylvania. Crashed craft. Source: Clark McClelland, NASA employee. (Item B-1)

1966: Wright-Patterson AFB, Ohio. Nine bodies observed by former Army Intelligence officer, now a businessman. Learned there were 30 bodies plus crashed craft. Cited five crashes during 1960's and secret computer files on UFOs (Case A-3)

1968: Nellis AFB, Nevada. Former Air Force Sergeant described Top Secret report on a UFO landing and encounter with humanoids during which Colonel was paralyzed and weapons were "jammed," learned from Air Force General. (Case A-5)

1973: Location not stated. Air Policeman observed three bodies. (Case A-2)

1975: Michigan. Crashed craft. (Item B-4)

1977: Ohio. Violent encounter reported between UFO humanoids and U.S. Military forces. (Item B-13)

1978: Argentina. Object crashed in mountains, report of U.S. Air Force retrieval. (Item B-8)

1979: Pennsylvania. Body retrieved along roadside. Apparent hoax. (Item B-14)

We have reproduced an extract from an American "underground" document called "The Blue Planet". This claims to be a document detailing the types of aliens visiting Earth and the U.S. Government's involvement. The details concern "The Greys", described by Dr John E. Mack as being "the worker bees of the alien intelligence". Note the four fingers....

GREYS

TYPE A

Type A's are the large nosed Greys from the Rigel Star. These Greys are ones with whom our Government has a treaty.

DATA

- The approximate height is 3.5 to 4.5 feet tall. Some approximately 5 feet. Their weight is approximately 40 pounds.
- Two semi-rounded black eyes, without pupils. They are large, almond-shaped, elongated, sunken of deep set, far apart, slightly slanted, appearing 'Oriental' or 'Mongoloid'.
- The head, by human standards, is large when compared with the size of torso and limbs.
- No ear lobes or protrusive flesh extending beyond apertures on each side of the head.
- Nose is long and vague. Two nasal openings are indicated with only slight protuberance.
- Mouth is indicated as a small 'slit' without lips, opening into a small cavity-mouth, which appears not to function as means of communication or an orifice for food ingestion.
- Neck described as being thin; and in some instances, not being visible because of garment on that section of the body.
- The head is hairless.
- The torso is small and thin.
- Normally they wear a metallic but flexible garment.
- Arms are long and thin and reaching down to the knee section of the body.
- The hands have four fingers each, but no thumb. Two fingers appear longer than the others on each hand. They have some kind of long fingernails. A slight webbing effect between each finger exists.
- Legs are short and thin. Their feet are like an orangutans feet.
- They have no teeth.
- Their skin description is some kind of beige, tan brown, or tannish or pinkish grey color. The texture as scaly or reptilian, and as stretchable, elastic or mobile over smooth muscle or skeletal tissue. No striated muscle. Light perspiration and very particular body odor. Under magnification the tissue of skin structure appears to be a mesh, or like a grid network of horizontal perpendicular lines. They suggest that the texture may be similar to that of the granular-skinned lizards, such as the Iguana and/or Chameleon, and may be similar to at least on other type of alien humanoid.



A "Grey"

Is the
"Triangle"
significant?

Do they
pilot the
"FT'S"?



A 'still' from the autopsy film.

THE RAY SANTILLI AUTOPSY FILM: THE QUESTIONS REMAIN!

On the previous three pages you will have read sufficient data to question the authenticity of the "Roswell Autopsy" film, yet there remain tantalizing clues that the film may well be authentic.

We have heard on good authority that the film has been analysed and it has been confirmed as being of 1947 manufacture. The next analysis will involve the actual dating of the year that the emulsion on the film was exposed. We understand that this can only be carried out by one laboratory in the world and that is in France. If this proves to during the year 1947, then this will only raise more questions about the "alien" shown.

Another question that was raised early on, was the date of manufacture of the "coiled" telephone wire shown in the autopsy scene. It was claimed that the coiled type of telephone wire had not been in use until the early 60's, but we now believe that this type of wire came into service about 1944.

There has been some speculation as to whether the body shown is actually a dummy, but more than one medical opinion has been expressed stating that it is an actual "body", but of what, remains unanswered. The opening of the chest revealed no organs that were recognised as human and when the skull was opened, the brain showed a marked difference to the normal human convolutions.

Philip Mantle (the BUFORA Director of Investigations) has stated that while watching the film with Santilli, in the latter's office, they freeze-framed the video copy of the autopsy footage and were able to make out the name "Dr Bronk" on the autopsy documents (Dr. Bronk is supposedly been a member of the 'Majestic 12' committee). The name Dr Williams or Willis could also be seen on this document.

There has been a claim that the film was made in Brazil during the 60's and also that it was made at Fort Worth an American military installation. According to Roswell witnesses, the autopsy took place in a hospital close to the town and several military doctors and a nurse were present. Apparently the stench of the body (bodies?) was overwhelming as they had been dead for a number of days. It was also claimed that one alien had survived the Roswell crash and had been kept alive by the American military for two years (this was shown in the American TV film production).

Certainly if the film is authentic then the authorities will have planted various dis-information stories about it. But let's face it...it has been only a seven day wonder as far as the general public is concerned...now if Lady Di' sheds a tear, then that really is news!

PETER ROBBINS & LARRY WARREN VISIT THE EAST MIDLANDS
(EMUFORA MEETING 21st August 1995)

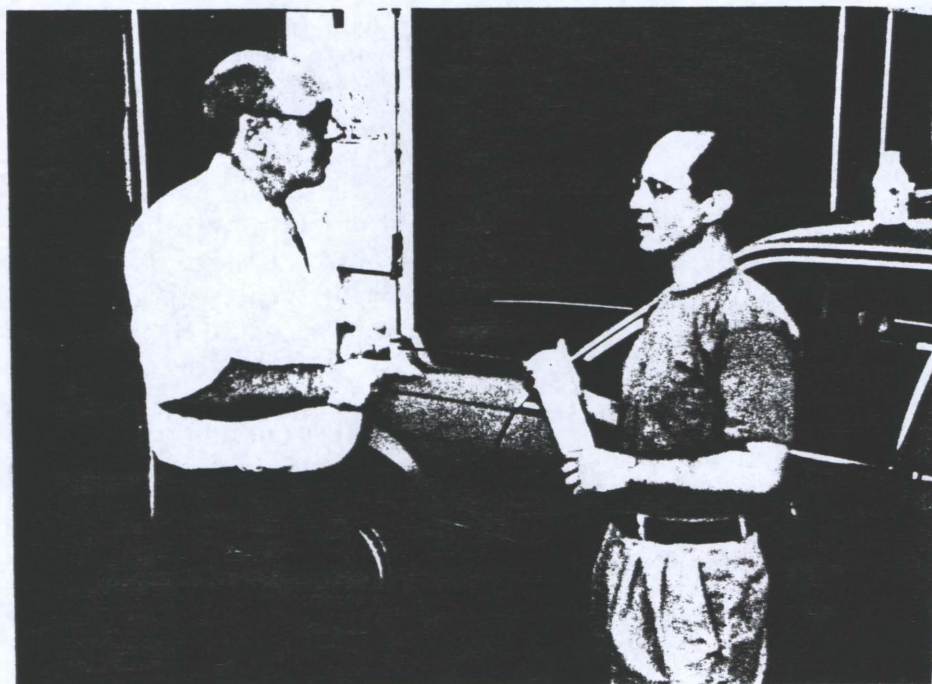
Tony James, leader of the EMUFORA group in Nottingham pulled off another scoop with surprise guests Larry Warren (Rendlesham Forest USAF witness) and Peter Robbins of the Intruders Foundation and assistant to Budd Hopkins, the world's leading researcher into alien abduction cases.

Until quite recently Larry Warren had been unable to leave the USA because of passport difficulties. This involved an alleged breach of security regarding his disclosures about the "Rendlesham Forest" incident (December 1980) in the vicinity of the Woodbridge and Bentwaters military airfields in Suffolk.

Peter Robbins gave a talk to a packed audience, sweltering in the summer heat. He gave an insight into the work of the Intruders Foundation and described a typical abduction scenario where the "abductee" is liable to wake up in a state of distress and possibly with his/her night attire in disarray. The abductee would probably have small cuts or 'scoop' marks on different parts of the body and be completely unaware of how they came about. They would probably have a vague memory of being "floated" out of their room. It was incorrect to conclude that these stories were only related under hypnosis and Peter pointed out that two thirds of the abductees had extremely solid memories of the incident and are very specific. This is a memory of something that is real and is not a dream, it is not an illusion, it is a real experience.

The abductees often turn to the Intruder Foundation for help and in some cases want to be referred to a medical professional who could tell them that they are mentally ill, because this is preferable to the thought of what may have happened.

Peter went on to detail developments and the changing attitude of the general public in the abduction scenario, stating that they are experienced by people of all types, race, age, sex, wealth and political affiliations, mean nothing in this.



Garry Stapleton (PRA) chatting with Peter Robbins (right) during a break in proceedings at the EMUFORA meeting.

The Evening Sky

September 1995

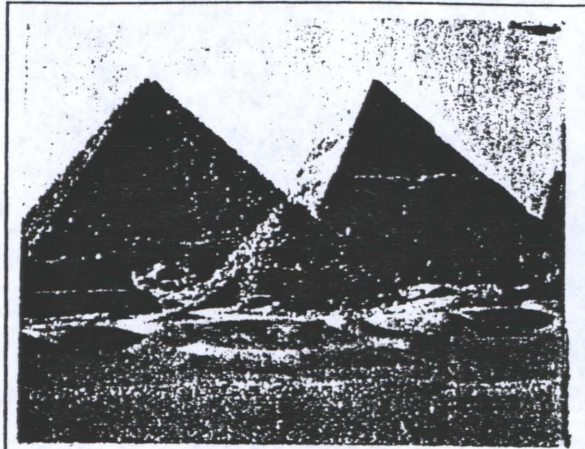
Saturn reaches opposition this month (Sun, Earth Saturn are all in a straight line) and will be visible throughout the dark hours of night. Saturn rises in the East adorning the evening twilight and sets in the West at dawn. This cold and lonely world over 1,500 million miles distance from Earth shines with a steady bright yellow glow.

Jupiter is still visible during September, beaming devotedly for us in the Southern sky as dusk falls.

Now summer is ending we can look forward to colder weather which hopefully will whisk away the hazy, heavy and muggy conditions that we have experienced during this exceptional vacation period. The crisp nights will bring more transparent air which is more suitable for detecting fainter heavenly bodies.

Indeed, it was so hot during August that I filled our eight foot diameter plastic garden pool and spent several nights soaking, keeping cool while observing the splendour of the heavens. Oh, what joy and happiness overcomes your whole being when you are able to spend an evening out under a starry sky, close to nature and you are reminded, for an instant, what a small but significant part of this great cosmos we inhabit.

I do not believe we are alone. What a pity that the US congress have recently cancelled funds to continue to support (SETI) Search for ExtraTerrestrial Intelligence. Today we have the technology to detect extraneous signals and I feel we should continue the search.



The Great Pyramids: the final achievement of a civilisation that turned inward

The SETI Institute is funded by private donation (including Steven Spielberg) and the project, (currently scrutinising 1,000 Sun-like stars by automatic processors which can examine 28 million separate channels per second, for signs of alien signals) will run a little longer.

After 30 years of luckless searching, why carry on? Humankind is exploratory by nature and if we do not explore we will, like so many earlier civilisations (Egyptian, Inca etc.), turn inward and wither. Our generation must pass through the portal and on into the unfathomable corridors of the universe.

The Moon is full on the 8th of the month. Month comes from the word Moon - moonth. In early civilisations the Moon was of great importance and symbolised feminine intuition. The Sun is masculine and interestingly, the West moved from a Lunar to a Solar calendar about 2,000 years ago. All other calendars of the world (Chinese, Muslim, Jewish etc.) are still based on the feminine Moon. Why did this Western development occur and why did (Lunar) feminine emancipation begin in the (Solar) masculine West? Astronomy is such a fascinating subject!

Enjoy Your Evening Sky!

Barry Parkinson

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We have several new reports including what must be a world first ! A "FT" (Flying Triangle) report from 1978!

(1) On the night of the 10th June 95 Mr Gino Buglione was driving his girlfriend home and was passing along Blagreaves Lane, Littleover, Derby, when they both spotted two glowing orange, oblong lights through the trees.

The lights appeared to be travelling slowly at first and then speeding up, they approached the car and hovered alongside for a "couple of minutes". They then flew away, crossing over each others flight path as they did so, finally being lost from sight behind some distant trees.

Miss "C" stated that she felt "sick" at the time of the incident, but had no long term effects.
(Investigator: Peter Edwards)

(2) On the night of the 17th August 1995, Mr S.C.Coldicott and Miss H.Warner saw a bright L.I.T.S. (Light in the sky) at 10.20p, viewed from Corbridge Grove, Littleover, Derby. The light was moving "at a fair pace" said Stephen Coldicott. The light seemed to stop momentary, continued upwards and then disappeared. (Investigator: Peter Edwards)

Editor Note: This sounds very much like a satellite. The 'jerky' movement can be accounted for by the human eye's lack of reference. When a moving light passes away from any star illumination, it may appear to stop momentary and then to speed up again as it approaches another starlight reference. A satellite will disappear as it passes into the Earth's shadow.

(3) A retired engineering equipment designer, Mr FRT was in his car and driving home to Derby. The time was 11.45pm on the night of the 24th May 95. He was in the Breadsall area when he noticed a strange triangular shaped object moving slowly in the sky. He lost sight of it as he came to a bend in the road, but had noticed sufficient detail to draw a sketch of the object. (Fig.1)

(4) By a strange coincidence your editor came across an early FT report. Owing to an incoherent message on the answerphone, he telephoned the wrong number and when mentioning UFO's, the person (a Mr Trevor Simpson) related how he had seen a Flying Triangle one night over "Bluebell Woods" (now the Oakwood Estate, Derby) in August 1978. The FT was stationary, low and dark in colour and made no noise, it then appeared to "vanish". (Fig. 2)

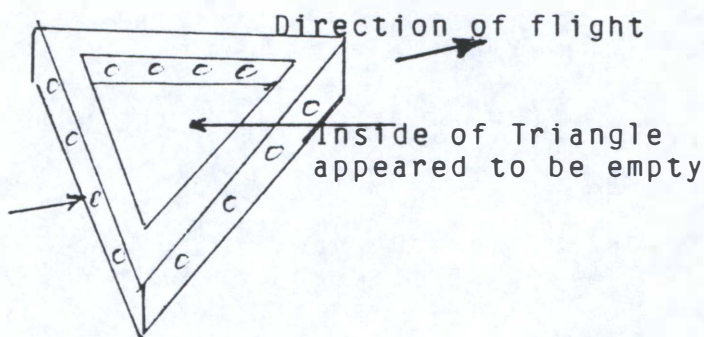


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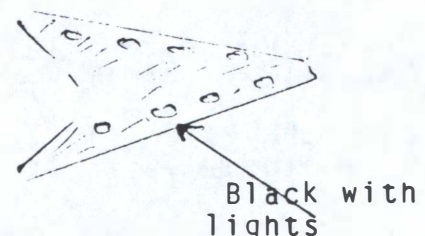


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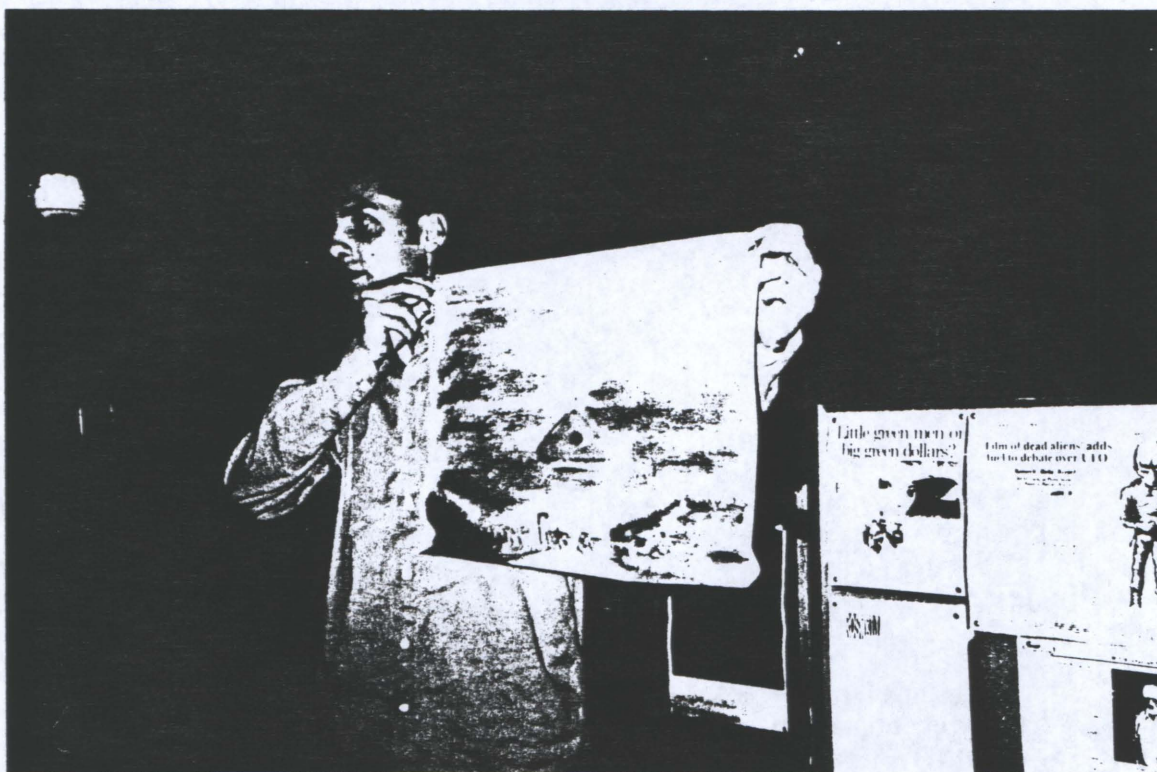
TALE ENDERS

ANNOUNCEMENT OF A MAJOR UFO AWARENESS DEMONSTRATION

At 11.30AM on Tuesday October 10th 1995, members and supporters of the British branch of Operation Right To Know, will begin a public demonstration and lobby at the House of Commons, London (St. Steven's entrance). We support Nick Pope, a serving Ministry of Defence official (formerly Secretariat Air Staff 2a), and his forthcoming book, to be published 1996, titled "Open Skies, Closed Minds - Official reaction to the UFO phenomenon"

John Holman (UK coordinator)
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AMATEUR ASTRONOMER Andy Emmerson showed a sketch and gave a clear description of his sighting to the PRA members at the recent meeting held at the Stanley Club, Stanley Common. (see photo)



RODNEY HOWARTH of Burnley has recently sent us a detailed report of UFO activity in the South Yorkshire area, including several "Flying Triangle" incidents. (Independent UFO Network)

Philip Imbrogno (Co-author of "Night Siege" FT's in the USA) has just informed us that FT sightings are being made almost nightly in the Pine Bush, New York area, they are also active in the Mountain City area, Tennessee locality.

THE TIMES of Monday Sept 4 1995 carried a report that the MOD are covering up the tracking of a Triangular Craft by NATO on the 30 March 1990, as it was tracked at a speed of 1,000mph.

IT'S SUBSCRIPTION TIME as October begins our new financial year! Subs remain at £9 for the year, although it means a tight budget!

THERE WILL BE NO PRA MEETING THIS MONTH.

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